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In re application of:

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For: RIBAVIRIN-PEGYLATED  
INTERFERON ALFA INDUCTION  
HCV COMBINATION THERAPY

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AMENDMENT

This is in response to the Official Action, dated 02/10/2004, stating that the application fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825 .

Applicants are amending this application to add the sequence listing and are enclosing herewith the following:

- (1) A computer readable form ("CRF") of the sequence listing;
- (2) A paper copy of the sequence listing;
- (3) A SEQUENCE LISTING STATEMENT;
- (4) A Petition and Fee for a One Month Extension of Time to Respond,
- (5) A copy of the Notice to comply with Requirements for patent applications containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures,
- (6) A Transmittal Letter; and
- (7) A return postcard.